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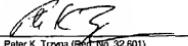
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is the following:

1. Amendment.

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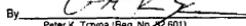


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AMENDMENT

SIR:

Please enter the following Amendment and reconsider the patent application.

I. Amendm nt

A. In the Title

Delete the title on page 1, and there insert -- REAL TIME COMMUNICATIONS  
SYSTEM --

The Examiner is requested to reconsider the application in view of the foregoing amendment. Generally, it is believed that the amendment adds no new matter.

If the prosecution of this case can be in any way advanced by a telephone discussion, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at (312) 240-0824.

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